

Biological Goals and Objectives: Hierarchical Relationships

Goals and Objectives **Relationships Among G&O Tiers Working Group meeting** Viability 11/20/08 **Attributes of Viability Insert Species-specific** Recovery goals/objectives (abundance/distribution/time) **Ecosystem Goals** Improve:hydro conditions (conveyance+ops) habitat productivity+distribution. Reduce pollutants+non-natives Improve species movement+migrations; salinities gradients, zooplankton production, **Ecosystem Objectives** habitat distribution and & H20 conditions. Reduce pollutants from muni/ag/other Restore and enhance multiple **Natural Community** habitat-types across Delta **Goals/Objectives** [near term & long term] Reduce non-natural mortalities and improve fitness **Species-Specific Goals** Increase abundance and distribution **■Smelt** Improve survivals of juvenile and adult migrants + fitness Salmonids Improve abundance + distribution Sacramento splittail **TBD** Sturgeon **TBD** Other species Smelt: Targets in abundance and distribution at specified locations and time periods **Species-Specific** Salmonids: Percent improvements in juvenile & adult survivals through the Delta **Objectives** Split-tail and Sturgeon: TBD Other species: TBD

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